COMMITTEE REPORT

MR. PRESIDENT:

The Senate Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedure, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 543, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

I	Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:
2	SECTION 1. IC 6-1.1-25-9 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
3	FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 9. (a) Except as
4	provided in subsection (b), When a county acquires title to real
5	property under IC 6-1.1-24 and this chapter, the county may dispose of
6	the real property under IC 36-1-11 or subsection (e). The proceeds of
7	any sale under IC 36-1-11 shall be applied as follows:
8	(1) First, to the cost of the sale or offering for sale of the real
9	<pre>property, including the cost of:</pre>
10	(A) maintenance;
11	(B) preservation; and
12	(C) administration of the property before the sale including
13	prior or offering for sale of the property;
14	(D) unpaid costs of sales the sale or offering for sale of the
15	property;
16	(E) preparation of the property for sale;
17	(F) advertising; and
18	(G) appraisal.
19	(2) Second, to any unrecovered cost of the sale or offering for
20	sale of other real property in the same taxing district acquired
21	by the county under IC 6-1.1-24 and this chapter, including
22	the cost of:
23	(A) maintenance;
24	(B) preservation;
25	(C) administration of the property before the sale or
26	offering for sale of the property;

1	(D) unpaid costs of the sale or offering for sale of the
2	property;
3	(E) preparation of the property for sale;
4	(F) advertising; and
5	(G) appraisal.
6	(3) Third, to the payment of the taxes which on the real
7	property that were removed from the tax duplicate under section
8	4(c) of this chapter.
9	(3) Third, Fourth, any surplus remaining into the county general
10	fund.
11	(b) The county auditor shall file a report with the board of
12	commissioners before January 31 of each year. The report must:
13	(1) list the real property acquired under IC 6-1.1-24 and this
14	chapter; and
15	(2) indicate if any person resides or conducts a business on the
16	property.
17	(c) The county auditor shall mail a notice by certified mail before
18	March 31 of each year to each person listed in subsection (b)(2). The
19	notice must state that the county has acquired title to the tract the
20	person occupies.
21	(d) If the county determines under IC 36-1-11 that any real property
22	so acquired should be retained by the county, then the county shall not
23	dispose of the real property. The county executive may repair,
24	maintain, equip, alter, and construct buildings upon the real property
25	so retained in the same manner prescribed for other county buildings.
26	(e) The county may transfer title to real property described in
27	subsection (a) to the redevelopment commission at no cost to the
28	commission for sale or grant under IC 36-7-14-22.1 or
29	IC 36-7-15.1-15.1.
30	SECTION 2. IC 6-1.1-25-9.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.1-1999,
31	SECTION 14, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
32	UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 9.5. (a) This section applies to:
33	(1) a city having a population of more than one hundred ten
34	thousand (110,000) but less than one hundred twenty thousand
35	(120,000);
36	(2) a city having a population of more than thirty-three thousand
37	eight hundred fifty (33,850) but less than thirty-five thousand
38	(35,000) located in a county having a population of more than
39	four hundred thousand (400,000) but less than seven hundred
40	thousand (700,000); and
41	(3) a city having a population of more than seventy-five thousand
42	(75,000) but less than ninety thousand (90,000).
43	(b) Whenever a city acquires title to real property under IC 6-1.1-24
44	and this chapter, the city may dispose of the real property under
45	IC 36-1-11 or subsection (f). The proceeds of a sale under IC 36-1-11
46	must be applied as follows:
47	(1) First, to the cost of the sale or offering for sale of the real
48	property, including the cost of:
49	(A) maintenance;
50	(B) preservation; and
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1	(C) administration of the property before the sale including
2	prior or offering for sale of the property;
3	(D) unpaid costs of sales the sale or offerings for sale of the
4	property;
5	(E) preparation of the property for sale;
6	(F) advertising; and
7	(G) appraisal.
8	(2) Second, to any unrecovered cost of the sale or offering for
9	sale of other real property in the same taxing district acquired
10	by the county under IC 6-1.1-24 and this chapter, including
11	the cost of:
12	(A) maintenance;
13	(B) preservation;
14	(C) administration of the property before the sale or
15	offering for sale of the property;
16	(D) unpaid costs of the sale or offering for sale of the
17	property;
18	(E) preparation of the property for sale;
19	(F) advertising; and
20	(G) appraisal.
21	(3) Third, to the payment of the taxes on the real property that
22	were removed from the tax duplicate under section 4.2(f) of this
23	chapter.
24	(3) Third, (4) Fourth, any surplus remaining must be deposited
25	in the city's general fund.
26	(c) The mayor or the mayor's designee shall file a report with the
27	board of county commissioners before January 31. The report must:
28	(1) list the real property acquired under IC 6-1.1-24 and this
29	chapter; and
30	(2) indicate if a person resides or conducts a business on the
31	property.
32	(d) The city shall mail a notice by certified mail before March 31 of
33	each year to each person listed in subsection (c)(2). The notice must
34	state that the city has acquired title to the tract the person occupies.
35	(e) If the city determines under IC 36-1-11 that real property
36	acquired under IC 6-1.1-24 or this chapter must be retained by the city,
37	the city may not dispose of the real property. The mayor or the mayor's
38	designee may repair, maintain, equip, alter, and construct buildings
39	upon the real property retained under this section in the same manner
40	prescribed for other city buildings.
41	(f) The city may transfer title to real property described in
42	subsection (b) to its redevelopment commission at no cost to the
43	commission for sale or grant under IC 36-7-14-22.1.
44	(g) This section expires December 31, 2001.
45	SECTION 3. [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE] (a) IC 6-1.1-25-9
46	and IC 6-1.1-25-9.5, both as amended by this act, apply to:
47	(1) proceeds of sales of real property received on or after the
48	effective date of this act; and
49	(2) proceeds of sales of real property received before the
50	effective date of this act that had not been distributed under

1	IC 6-1.1-25-9 and IC 6-1.1-25-9.5 as of the effective date of
2	this act.
3	(b) This SECTION expires January 1, 2002.
4	SECTION 4. An emergency is declared for this act.
	(Reference is to SB 543 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said bill be reassigned to the Senate Committee on Governmental and Regulatory Affairs.

GARTON Chairperson